

<b>UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT</b> <b>SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS</b> <b>HOUSTON DIVISION</b>		<b>PROOF OF CLAIM</b> <b>(Secured)</b>		<div style="text-align: center;"> United States Bankruptcy Court  Southern District of Texas  <b>FILED</b> </div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; margin-top: 20px;"> <b>JUL 20 2000</b> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <b>Michael N. Milby, Clerk</b> </div>	
In Re: <b>STAGE STORES, INC.</b>		Case Number: <b>00-35078-H2-11</b> Chapter: <b>11</b>		<div style="text-align: right;">court use only</div>	
Name of Creditor: <b>STARR COUNTY</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Check if you are aware that anyone else has filed a proof of claim relating to your claim.  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if you have never received any noticed from the bankruptcy court in this case.  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if the address differs from the address on the envelope sent to you by the court.			
Name/Address Where Notices Should Be Sent:  Lori Gruver Robertson Linebarger, Heard, Goggan, Blair, Graham, Peña, & Sampson LLP 1949 SOUTH IH 35 (78741) P.O. BOX 17428 AUSTIN, TX 78760-7777 Telephone No: (512)447-6675					
Number by which creditor identifies debtor:  See Attached Exhibits		This claim <input type="checkbox"/> replaces <input type="checkbox"/> amends a previously filed claim, dated: <span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 60px; height: 15px;"></span> <input type="checkbox"/> supplements			
<b>1. BASIS FOR CLAIM:</b> AD VALOREM TAXES					
<b>2. DATE DEBT WAS INCURRED:</b> January 1 of each tax year, pursuant to Sections 32.01 and 32.07 of the Texas Property Tax Code.					
<b>3. CLASSIFICATION OF CLAIM:</b> Secured claim to extent of collateral value. Unsecured Priority claim [11 U.S.C. 507 (a)(8)] to extent of any shortfall in collateral value and for personal liability. Secured by Tax Lien §§ 32.01 and 32.07 of the Texas Property Tax Code.					
<b>4. TOTAL AMOUNTS OF CLAIM:</b> \$ <u>0.00</u> (Unsecured) + \$ <u>1,622.69</u> (Secured) + \$ <u>0.00</u> (Priority) = \$ <u>1,622.69</u> (Total)					
Plus interest accruing pursuant to Texas Property Tax Code §33.01 as allowed under 11 U.S.C. §506(b)					
<b>Make checks payable to:</b> <b>Mail payments to:</b>		<b>STARR COUNTY</b> 401 N BRITTON AVE, RM 205 RIO GRANDE CITY, TX 78582			
<b>5. CREDITS AND SETOFFS:</b> The amount of the payments on this claim has been credited and deducted for the purpose of making this proof of claim. In filing this claim, claimant has deducted all amounts that claimant owes to debtor.					
<b>6. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:</b> Attached					
<div style="text-align: center;">   Lori Gruver Robertson  Bar I.D. 24007283 </div>				<div style="text-align: right;">court use only</div> <div style="font-size: 1.5em; margin-top: 50px;">228</div>	
Penalty for presenting fraudulent claim: Fine up to \$500,000 or imprisonment up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 3571					

## DUPLICATE TAX RECEIPT \*\*

RECEIPT NO: 051430

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

CARMEN A PENA

STARR COUNTY COURTHOUSE

RIO GRANDE CITY, TX 78582

(956)487-2376

BATCH NO: 00B02C

TAX YEA 1999

EFFECTIVE DATE PAID: 01/31/2000

ACCOUNT NUM: 0069090

GST-GIS-SH -SF -S1 -S2 -

REC'D BY: TLR

PROC DATE: 02/02/2000

REF#: 0032161

PROC TYPE: PST

DESC: PERSONAL PROPERTY

R-96 R-97

R-98

NAME BEALLS #59

Z HARDING &amp; CARBONE INC

3903 BELLAIRE BLVD

HOUSTON, TX 77025

111 W OLD HWY 83 RGC

YEAR	ENTITY	TYPE	BASE TAX	P & I/DISC.	COLL FEE	TOTAL AMT	REFERENCE
1999	GST	F	795.97			795.97	1
1999	GIS	F	59.85			59.85	1
1999	SH	F	285.43			285.43	1
1999	SF	F	315.08			315.08	1
1999	S1	F	143.79			143.79	1
1999	S2	F	21.57			21.57	1

TOTAL APPLIED

1,622.69

TOTAL TENDERED

1,622.69

CK # 601143

PYMT TYPE: CH

PAID BY BEALLS #59

YEAR	ENTITY	CODE & DESCRIPTION	NET TAXABLE VALUE	TAX RATE
1999	GST	STARR COUNTY	179,740	00.443400
1999	GIS	COUNTY INTEREST & SINKING	179,740	00.033300
1999	SH	HOSPITAL	179,740	00.158800
1999	SF	FARM ROAD	179,740	00.175300
1999	S1	STCC ANNUAL MAINTENANCE	179,740	00.080000
1999	S2	STCC INTEREST & PRINCIPAL	179,740	00.012000

ESTIMATED TAX FOR 2000

\$ 1,622.69

EXHIBIT

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